

the Comptroller; approving all proceedings heretofore had in the acquisition of any such system and the encumbrance of same within the authority given by this act, and declaring an emergency."

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 301, "An Act creating the Goldthwaite Independent School District in Mills county, Texas; defining its boundaries, including the present Goldthwaite Independent School District; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its boards of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof, or any other law or laws that may be hereafter enacted governing independent school districts created or incorporated for free school purposes only under the general laws of this State; providing that the present board of trustees continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms; providing that the title to all school property within the boundaries herein defined shall be and is vested in the Goldthwaite Independent School District as herein created; providing that this act shall not affect local maintenance or bond taxes; repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 535, "An Act to amend Section 20, Chapter 118, Special Laws, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, the same being a special road law for Cherokee county, Texas; providing the method of handling funds derived from road district bonds, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY.

(Continued.)

(Friday, March 6, 1925.)

The House met at 9 o'clock a. m. and was called to order by Speaker Satterwhite.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Montgomery:

H. B. No. 630, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Hidalgo county, Texas, by creating Hidalgo County Independent Road District No. 1; designation of said district and of any bonds thereof; providing that said district shall be vested with all the rights, powers and privileges conferred upon defined road districts by general laws; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of necessary taxes annually to pay interest and provide sinking fund for outstanding bonds heretofore issued by the district of which the district hereby created was formerly a part, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Masterson:

H. B. No. 631, A bill to be entitled "An Act to aid in protection of the property and lives of citizens in a part of Brazoria county, from further disastrous and calamitous overflows and conserving and increasing the harbor facilities at the mouth of the Brazos River, in Brazoria county, Texas, and to prevent the repeated shoaling of the waters on the bar of the harbor at the mouth of said river, caused by deposit of silt from the flood waters of the Brazos River, in the channel of said river and in the Gulf of Mexico, and for the purpose of assisting in the prevention of future overflowing of said river, by granting and donating the said portion of Brazoria county, for a term of twenty-five years, or so much thereof as may be necessary, a portion of the State ad valorem tax levied and collected on property subject to taxation in such portion of Brazoria county, to be used in making part payment of the interest and sinking fund of bonds to be used by said county, to provide for the construction of the necessary breakwaters, levees,

dykes, floodways and diversions, and providing for the diversion of the channel of said Brazos River at its mouth, and providing for the administration of this act."

Referred to Committee on Conservation and Reclamation.

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 632, A bill to be entitled "An Act placing a closed season of five years on wild deer and wild turkeys in the county of Bastrop; providing a penalty for the violation of same; repealing all laws in conflict herewith."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Jones:

H. B. No. 633, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 4 of the Local and Special Laws enacted by the Thirty-fourth Legislature at its Regular Session, in 1915, in so far as it applies to Atascosa county, by adding thereto Sections 2a and 2b, to permit the issuance of bonds by Atascosa county, for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes; providing for the distribution of the road and bridge fund of said county, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Wester:

H. B. No. 634, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish and create a court to be known as the Corporation Court of Lubbock, Texas, and prescribe its organization and procedure and conform to the jurisdiction and process of other courts thereto, and repeal all laws and ordinances in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency for same."

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Daniels:

H. B. No. 635, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of an act passed by the Thirty-fourth Legislature of Texas and approved March 22, 1915, creating the Ninth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, the same being Chapter 70 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, and to create the Tenth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, and to provide for the organization of a Court of Civil Appeals within said Tenth Supreme Judicial District, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency, and to create the Eleventh Judicial District of Texas, and to provide

for the organization of a Court of Civil Appeals within said Tenth Supreme Judicial District and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.

By Mr. Daniels:

H. B. No. 636, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to the Railroad Commission, in conjunction with States separated in whole or in part from this State by rivers or streams, authority to formulate rules, rates and regulations across said river or stream, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Common Carriers.

By Mr. Merritt:

H. B. No. 637, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create more efficient road system for Stonewall county, Texas; providing that the commissioners court of said county shall be authorized to issue bonds of said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Harper:

H. B. No. 638, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending the special road law of Titus county, Texas, so as to authorize the commissioners court to fund the road and bridge indebtedness of said county by the issuance of funding or refunding bonds, and to levy a tax in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING.

The following House joint resolution, introduced today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

By Mr. Fields:

H. J. R. No. 26, Proposing an amendment to Section 11, Article IV, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide that the Governor shall have power to remit fines and forfeitures, grant reprieves, commutations of punishment and pardons, and providing that no pardon shall be granted, nor sentence commuted, except upon the

written recommendation of the Lieutenant Governor, the Attorney General, and the State Treasurer, or any two of them after due notice and hearing; fixing a time for holding the election hereon, and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof.

SENATE BILL NO. 174 ON PASSAGE TO THIRD READING.

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being Senate bill No. 174, relating to unlawful seizures and searches, on its passage to third reading, with amendment by Mr. Petsch pending.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was lost.

Mr. Wade offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 174 by striking out the word "premises," line 39, page 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "private residence, actual place of habitation, or place of business."

Mr. Purl moved to table the amendment, and the motion to table was lost.

Mr. Masterson moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

Senate bill No. 174 was then passed to third reading.

BILL RECOMMITTED.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, House bill No. 431 was recommitted to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

SENATE BILL NO. 180 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 180, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that any foreign corporation not having a permit to do business in Texas, and lawfully owning stock of a corporation organized under the laws of Texas, may vote said stock and participate in the management and control of such corporation as other stockholders, subject to all laws, rules and regulations governing Texas corporations, and limiting the number of domestic corporations in which such rights may be exercised by such foreign corporations, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

(Mr. Chitwood in the chair.)

Mr. Petsch moved the previous question on the passage of the bill to third reading, and the main question was ordered.

(Speaker in the chair.)

Mr. Bonham moved to reconsider the vote by which the previous question was ordered.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Question next recurring on the motion for the previous question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—66.

Albritton.	Justice.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Baker of Panola.	Kenyon.
Bateman.	Kinnear.
Bean.	Kittrell.
Bryant.	Lane of Hamilton.
Cade.	Lane of Harrison.
Chitwood.	Loftin.
Coffey.	Low.
Coody.	Masterson.
Covey.	McBride.
Cox of Navraro.	Merritt.
Cummings.	Nicholson.
Dale.	Pavlica.
Daniels.	Pearce.
Davis of Wood.	Petsch.
DeBerry.	Powell.
Donnell.	Purl.
Downs.	Rogers.
Dunlap.	Rowell.
Dunn of Falls.	Rowland.
Enderby.	Runge.
Finlay.	Shearer.
Florence.	Sinks.
Frnka.	Smith of Nueces.
Graves.	Smyth.
Gray.	Stevens.
Hagaman.	Stevenson.
Harper.	Storey.
Hollowell.	Strong.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Wallace.
Jasper.	Wilson.
Johnson.	

Nays—62.

Acker.	Cox of Lamar.
Alexander	Dielmann.
of Limestone.	Dinkle.
Atkinson.	Durham.
Avis.	Farrar.
Barron.	Faulk.
Bartlett.	Fields.
Bedford.	Hall.
Bobbitt.	Harman.
Boggs.	High.
Bonham.	Jones.
Brown.	Laird.
Conway.	Lipscomb.

Mankin.	Sheats.
McDougald.	Simmons.
McFarlane.	Smith of Travis.
McGill.	Sparks.
McKean.	Stautzenberger.
McNatt.	Stell.
Montgomery.	Stout.
Moore.	Taylor.
Morris.	Teer.
Parish.	Tomme.
Perdue.	Veatch.
Poage.	Wade.
Pool.	Walker.
Pope.	Webb.
Rawlins.	Wells.
Raymer.	Wester.
Rice.	Woodruff.
Robinson.	Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Jordan.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Baker of Orange.	King.
Barker.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	Renfro.
Carter.	Sanford.
Davis of Dallas.	Simpson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Westbrook.
Foster.	Williamson.
Hull.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

(Mr. Chitwood in the chair.)

Question recurring on the passage of the bill to third reading, yeas and nays were demanded.

Senate bill No. 180 was then passed to third reading by the following vote:

Yeas—72.

Acker.	Finlay.
Albritton.	Florence.
Amsler.	Foster.
Atkinson.	Gray.
Baker of Orange.	Hagaman.
Barron.	Hall.
Bartlett.	Harper.
Bean.	Hollowell.
Bobbitt.	Jacks.
Cade.	Jasper.
Chitwood.	Johnson.
Conway.	Jordan.
Coody.	Justice.
Cox of Navarro.	Kemble.
Cummings.	Kenyon.
Davis of Dallas.	Kinnear.
Dielmann.	Kittrell.
Donnell.	Lane of Harrison.
Downs.	Lipscomb.
Dunlap.	Loftin.
Dunn of Falls.	Low.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Mankin.
Durham.	Masterson.
Faulk.	McKean.

Montgomery.	Runge.
Moore.	Shearer.
Nicholson.	Sinks.
Parish.	Smith of Travis.
Perdue.	Sparks.
Petsch.	Storey.
Poage.	Wade.
Pool.	Wells.
Purl.	Williamson.
Raymer.	Wilson.
Rice.	Woodruff.
Rowell.	Young.
Rowland.	

Nays—60.

Alexander	McDougald.
of Bastrop.	McFarlane.
Avis.	McGill.
Baker of Panola.	McNatt.
Barker.	Merritt.
Bateman.	Morris.
Bedford.	Pavlica.
Boggs.	Pearce.
Bonham.	Pope.
Bryant.	Powell.
Coffey.	Rawlins.
Covey.	Robinson.
Cox of Lamar.	Rogers.
Dale.	Sheats.
Davis of Wood.	Simmons.
DeBerry.	Smith of Nueces.
Dinkle.	Stautzenberger.
Enderby.	Stell.
Farrar.	Stevenson.
Fields.	Stout.
Graves.	Strong.
Harman.	Taylor.
High.	Teer.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Jones.	Tomme.
Kayton.	Veatch.
King.	Walker.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wallace.
Maxwell.	Westbrook.
McBride.	Wester.

Present—Not Voting.

Brown.

Absent.

Alexander	Hull.
of Limestone.	Laird.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	Renfro.
Carter.	Sanford.
Daniels.	Simpson.
Frnka.	Smyth.

Absent—Excused.

Stevens.

Paired.

Mr. Webb (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Irwin (absent), who would vote "yea."

SENATE BILL NO. 17 ON SECOND
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 17, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for co-operation between the State of Texas and the United States Department of Agriculture in the destruction of rodent pests—prairie dogs, rats, pocket gophers and ground squirrels and predatory animals—coyotes, wolves, mountain lions, bobcats and other predatory animals; appropriating funds for such purposes, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Loftin moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. next Wednesday.

Mr. Purl moved to table the motion, and the motion to table was lost.

(Speaker in the chair.)

Mr. Foster moved that the House adjourn until 10:44 o'clock a. m. Friday.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—65.

Acker.	McFarlane.
Alexander	McGill.
of Bastrop.	McKean.
Alexander	McNatt.
of Limestone.	Merritt.
Avis.	Montgomery.
Bartlett.	Parish.
Bedford.	Perdue.
Bobbitt.	Poage.
Bonham.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Purl.
Cummings.	Rawlins.
Dinkle.	Raymer.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Rogers.
Fields.	Rowland.
Foster.	Sheats.
Gray.	Simmons.
Hall.	Smith of Travis.
Harman.	Sparks.
High.	Stell.
Hollowell.	Stevens.
Jacks.	Stout.
Jordan.	Taylor.
Kemble.	Teer.
Kinnear.	Tomme.
Lane of Hamilton.	Veatch.
Lane of Harrison.	Wade.
Lipscomb.	Walker.
Mankin.	Wells.
Maxwell.	Westbrook.
McBride.	Woodruff.
McDougald.	

Nays—72.

Atkinson. Albritton.

Amsler.	Johnson.
Baker of Orange.	Jones.
Baker of Panola.	Justice.
Barker.	Kayton.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bateman.	King.
Bean.	Kittrell.
Boggs.	Laird.
Brown.	Loftin.
Bryant.	Low.
Cade.	Masterson.
Chitwood.	Moore.
Coffey.	Nicholson.
Coody.	Pavlica.
Covey.	Pearce.
Dale.	Petsch.
Daniels.	Powell.
Davis of Dallas.	Robinson.
Davis of Wood.	Runge.
DeBerry.	Sanford.
Dielmann.	Shearer.
Donnell.	Smith of Nueces.
Downs.	Smyth.
Dunn of Falls.	Stautzenberger.
Enderby.	Stevenson.
Farrar.	Storey.
Faulk.	Strong.
Finlay.	Thompson.
Florence.	Wallace.
Frnka.	Webb.
Graves.	Wester.
Hagaman.	Williamson.
Harper.	Wilson.
Hoskins.	Young.
Jasper.	

Present—Not Voting.

Rowell.

Absent.

Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	Morris.
Carter.	Renfro.
Cox of Navarro.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Sinks.
Hull.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Question recurring on the motion to postpone the bill, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—65.

Acker.	Chitwood.
Albritton.	Coffey.
Amsler.	Coody.
Baker of Orange.	Covey.
Baker of Panola.	Cox of Lamar.
Barker.	Dale.
Barron.	Daniels.
Bateman.	Davis of Dallas.
Bean.	Davis of Wood.
Boggs.	Downs.
Bryant.	Dunn of Falls.
Cade.	Enderby.

Finlay.	Pearce.
Florence.	Petsch.
Frnka.	Powell.
Graves.	Robinson.
Hagaman.	Rogers.
Harper.	Rowell.
Hollowell.	Runge.
Hoskins.	Sanford.
Jasper.	Shearer.
Johnson.	Sinks.
Jones.	Smith of Nueces.
Justice.	Smyth.
Kayton.	Stautzenberger.
Kenyon.	Stevens.
King.	Stevenson.
Laird.	Storey.
Loftin.	Strong.
Low.	Thompson.
Masterson.	Wallace.
Moore.	Wilson.
Pavlica.	Young.

Nays—66.

Alexander	Maxwell.
of Bastrop.	McBride.
Alexander	McDougald.
of Limestone.	McFarlane.
Atkinson.	McGill.
Avis.	McKean.
Bartlett.	McNatt.
Bedford.	Montgomery.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Bonham.	Parish.
Brown.	Perdue.
Conway.	Poage.
Cox of Navarro.	Pool.
Cummings.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Dinkle.	Rawlins.
Donnell.	Raymer.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Rowland.
Faulk.	Sheats.
Fields.	Simmons.
Foster.	Sparks.
Gray.	Stell.
Hall.	Stout.
Harman.	Taylor.
High.	Teer.
Jacks.	Tomme.
Jordan.	Veatch.
Kemble.	Wade.
Kinnear.	Walker.
Kittrell.	Wells.
Lane of Hamilton.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Wester.
Lipscomb.	Woodruff.
Mankin.	

Absent.

Bird.	Merritt.
Blount.	Morris.
Carter.	Renfro.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Smith of Travis.
Farrar.	Webb.
Hull.	Williamson.
McDonald.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Mr. McDougald moved that the House adjourn until 10:50 o'clock a. m. Friday.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—60.

Acker.	McDougald.
Alexander	McFarlane.
of Bastrop.	McGill.
Alexander	McKean.
of Limestone.	McNatt.
Atkinson.	Parish.
Avis.	Perdue.
Bartlett.	Poage.
Bedford.	Pool.
Bobbitt.	Pope.
Brown.	Purl.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Cox of Lamar.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Rice.
Dinkle.	Rogers.
Enderby.	Rowland.
Fields.	Sheats.
Foster.	Simmons.
Hall.	Smith of Nueces.
Harman.	Sparks.
High.	Stell.
Jacks.	Stevens.
Jordan.	Stout.
Kemble.	Taylor.
Kinnear.	Teer.
Kittrell.	Tomme.
Lane of Hamilton.	Veatch.
Lane of Harrison.	Wade.
Lipscomb.	Walker.
Mankin.	Wells.
Maxwell.	Westbrook.
McBride.	Woodruff.

Nays—71.

Mr. Speaker.	Davis of Wood.
Albritton.	DeBerry.
Amsler.	Donnell.
Baker of Orange.	Downs.
Baker of Panola.	Dunn of Falls.
Baker.	Durham.
Barron.	Farrar.
Bateman.	Faulk.
Bean.	Finlay.
Boggs.	Florence.
Bonham.	Frnka.
Bryant.	Graves.
Cade.	Gray.
Chitwood.	Hagaman.
Coffey.	Harper.
Coody.	Hollowell.
Covey.	Hoskins.
Cox of Navarro.	Jasper.
Dale.	Jones.
Daniels.	Justice.
Davis of Dallas.	Kayton.

Kenyon.	Sanford.
King.	Shearer.
Laird.	Sinks.
Loftin.	Smith of Travis.
Low.	Smyth.
Masterson.	Stautzenberger.
Montgomery.	Storey.
Morris.	Stevenson.
Nicholson.	Strong.
Pavlica.	Thompson.
Pearce.	Wallace.
Petsch.	Wester.
Powell.	Williamson.
Robinson.	Wilson.
Rowell.	Young.
Runge.	

Absent.

Bird.	Johnson.
Blount.	McDonald.
Carter.	Merritt.
Dielmann.	Moore.
Dunlap.	Renfro.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Simpson.
Hull.	Webb.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Mr. Petsch moved the previous question on the passage of the bill to third reading, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the previous question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The main question was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—70.

Acker.	Finlay.
Albritton.	Florence.
Amsler.	Frnka.
Baker of Orange.	Graves.
Baker of Panola.	Gray.
Barker.	Hagaman.
Barron.	Harper.
Bateman.	Hollowell.
Bean.	Hoskins.
Boggs.	Jasper.
Bryant.	Johnson.
Cade.	Jones.
Chitwood.	Justice.
Coffey.	Kayton.
Coody.	Kenyon.
Covey.	King.
Cox of Navarro.	Laird.
Dale.	Lane of Harrison.
Daniels.	Loftin.
Davis of Dallas.	Masterson.
Davis of Wood.	McBride.
Downs.	Moore.
Dunn of Falls.	Nicholson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pavlica.
Enderby.	Pearce.
Faulk.	Petsch.

Powell.	Stautzenberger.
Rawlins.	Stevens.
Rice.	Stevenson.
Robinson.	Storey.
Rogers.	Strong.
Rowell.	Thompson.
Sanford.	Wallace.
Shearer.	Wilson.
Smith of Nueces.	Young.
Smyth.	

Nays—60.

Alexander of Bastrop.	McDougald.
Alexander of Limestone.	McFarlane.
Atkinson.	McGill.
Avis.	McKean.
Bartlett.	McNatt.
Bedford.	Parish.
Bobbitt.	Perdue.
Bonham.	Poage.
Brown.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Purl.
Cummings.	Raymer.
DeBerry.	Rowland.
Dielmann.	Sheats.
Dinkle.	Simmons.
Donnell.	Smith of Travis.
Durham.	Sinks.
Fields.	Sparks.
Foster.	Stell.
Hall.	Stout.
Harman.	Taylor.
High.	Teer.
Jacks.	Tomme.
Jordan.	Veatch.
Kemble.	Wade.
Kinnear.	Walker.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wells.
Lipscomb.	Westbrook.
Mankin.	Wester.
	Williamson.
	Woodruff.

Absent.

Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	Merritt.
Carter.	Montgomery.
Dunlap.	Morris.
Farrar.	Renfro.
Hull.	Runge.
Kittrell.	Simpson.
Low.	Webb.
Maxwell.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Senate bill No. 17 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 17 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Foster moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and

that Senate bill No. 17 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—95.

Acker.	Lane of Harrison.
Albritton.	Lipscomb.
Alexander	Low.
of Bastrop.	Mankin.
Alexander	Masterson.
of Limestone.	Maxwell.
Amsler.	McBride.
Barker.	McGill.
Barron.	McKean.
Bartlett.	McNatt.
Bean.	Nicholson.
Bobbitt.	Parish.
Boggs.	Pavlica.
Bonham.	Pearce.
Brown.	Perdue.
Cade.	Petsch.
Chitwood.	Poage.
Coffey.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Covey.	Powell.
Cox of Lamar.	Purl.
Daniels.	Rawlins.
DeBerry.	Raymer.
Dielmann.	Renfro.
Dinkle.	Robinson.
Donnell.	Rowland.
Dunn of Falls.	Runge.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sanford.
Durham.	Shearer.
Faulk.	Sheats.
Fields.	Smith of Nueces.
Finlay.	Sparks.
Florence.	Stautzenberger.
Foster.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Stout.
Gray.	Taylor.
Hagaman.	Teer.
Harper.	Thompson.
High.	Tomme.
Hollowell.	Wade.
Hoskins.	Walker.
Jacks.	Wallace.
Jones.	Webb.
Jordan.	Wells.
Kayton.	Westbrook.
Kemble.	Wester.
Kenyon.	Williamson.
King.	Woodruff.
Kinnear.	Young.
Kittrell.	

Nays—23.

Baker of Orange.	Enderby.
Bateman.	Hall.
Bedford.	Justice.
Bryant.	Laird.
Coody.	Lane of Hamilton.
Dale.	Loftin.
Davis of Wood.	McDougald.
Downs.	Moore.

Rice.	Sinks.
Rogers.	Stell.
Simmons.	Storey.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.

Absent.

Atkinson.	Johnson.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	McFarlane.
Bird.	Merritt.
Blount.	Montgomery.
Carter.	Morris.
Cox of Navarro.	Rowell.
Cummings.	Simpson.
Davis of Dallas.	Smith of Travis.
Dunlap.	Smyth.
Graves.	Stevens.
Harman.	Strong.
Hull.	Veatch.
Jasper.	Wilson.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 17 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—93.

Acker.	Harper.
Albritton.	Hollowell.
Alexander	Jacks.
of Bastrop.	Johnson.
Alexander	Jones.
of Limestone.	Jordan.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Baker of Orange.	Kemble.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bartlett.	Kinnear.
Bobbitt.	Kittrell.
Boggs.	Lane of Harrison.
Cade.	Lipscomb.
Chitwood.	Low.
Coffey.	Mankin.
Conway.	Masterson.
Covey.	Maxwell.
Cox of Lamar.	McBride.
Daniels.	McDonald.
Davis of Dallas.	McFarlane.
Davis of Wood.	McGill.
DeBerry.	McKean.
Dielmann.	McNatt.
Donnell.	Nicholson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Parish.
Durham.	Pavlica.
Faulk.	Pearce.
Finlay.	Perdue.
Florence.	Petsch.
Foster.	Poage.
Frnka.	Pool.
Gray.	Pope.
Hagaman.	Powell.

Rawlins.	Taylor.
Raymer.	Teer.
Robinson.	Thompson.
Rowland.	Tomme.
Runge.	Wade.
Sanford.	Walker.
Shearer.	Wallace.
Sheats.	Webb.
Smith of Travis.	Wells.
Sparks.	Westbrook.
Stautzenberger.	Williamson.
Stevens.	Wilson.
Stevenson.	Woodruff.
Storey.	Young.
Stout.	

Nays—26.

Barker.	Hoskins.
Bateman.	Justice.
Bean.	King.
Bedford.	Laird.
Bryant.	Lane of Hamilton.
Coody.	Loftin.
Cox of Navarro.	McDougald.
Dale.	Rice.
Downs.	Simmons.
Enderby.	Sinks.
Graves.	Stell.
Hall.	Veatch.
Harman.	Wester.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.

Absent.

Atkinson.	Hull.
Avis.	Jasper.
Baker of Panola.	Merritt.
Bird.	Montgomery.
Blount.	Moore.
Bonham.	Morris.
Brown.	Purl.
Carter.	Renfro.
Cummings.	Rogers.
Dinkle.	Rowell.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Dunn of Falls.	Smith of Nueces.
Fields.	Smyth.
High.	Strong.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

PROVIDING FOR SALE OF CERTAIN REVISED STATUTES.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 32, Authorizing the Secretary of State of the State of Texas to advertise for bids on all of the unsold Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and of the Penal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure and the unsold portion of the various Acts of the Legislature now re-

maining in the office of the Secretary of State.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 190 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 190, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 6, of Chapter 74, General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and creating the sand, gravel and shell fund, providing for refund of taxes paid on marl, gravel, shell, or mudshell, by any county, city or town, of the State Highway Commission, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of the sand, shell and gravel law, and for the establishment and maintenance of fish hatcheries, and repealing of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading by the following vote:

Yeas—92.

Alexander	Hagaman.
of Limestone.	Harper.
Amsler.	High.
Baker of Orange.	Hollowell.
Barker.	Hoskins.
Barron.	Jacks.
Bartlett.	Johnson.
Bean.	Jones.
Bobbitt.	Jordan.
Boggs.	Kayton.
Bryant.	Kenyon.
Cade.	King.
Chitwood.	Kinnear.
Coffey.	Kittrell.
Conway.	Lane of Harrison.
Covey.	Loftin.
Cox of Lamar.	Low.
Cox of Navarro.	Mankin.
Cummings.	Masterson.
Dale.	McBride.
Daniels.	McDonald.
Davis of Wood.	McGill.
DeBerry.	McNatt.
Donnell.	Moore.
Downs.	Nicholson.
Dunn of Falls.	Parish.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pavlica.
Durham.	Pearce.
Enderby.	Perdue.
Fields.	Petsch.
Faulk.	Pool.
Finlay.	Pope.
Florence.	Powell.
Graves.	Purl.
Gray.	Rawlins.

Raymer.	Stevenson.
Renfro.	Storey.
Robinson.	Taylor.
Rogers.	Teer.
Rowland.	Thompson.
Runge.	Wade.
Sanford.	Webb.
Shearer.	Wells.
Sheats.	Westbrook.
Simmons.	Wester.
Stautzenberger.	Wilson.
Stevens.	

Nays—18.

Albritton.	Laird.
Avis.	Lane of Hamilton.
Baker of Panola.	McFarlane.
Bedford.	McKean.
Coody.	Rice.
Dielmann.	Sinks.
Hall.	Stell.
Harman.	Walker.
Justice.	Williamson.

Present—Not Voting.

Bateman.	Frnka.
Farrar.	Young.

Absent.

Acker.	McDougald.
Alexander	Merritt.
of Bastrop.	Montgomery.
Atkinson.	Morris.
Bird.	Poage.
Blount.	Rowell.
Bonham.	Simpson.
Brown.	Smith of Nueces.
Carter.	Smith of Travis.
Davis of Dallas.	Smyth.
Dinkle.	Sparks.
Dunlap.	Stout.
Foster.	Strong.
Hull.	Tomme.
Jasper.	Veatch.
Kemble.	Wallace.
Lipscomb.	Woodruff.
Maxwell.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

SENATE BILL NO. 190 ON THIRD
READING.

Mr. Boggs moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 190 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—91.

Alexander	Baker of Orange.
of Limestone.	Baker of Panola.
Amsler.	Barron.

Bartlett.	Mankin.
Bateman.	Masterson.
Bean.	McBride.
Bobbitt.	McDonald.
Boggs.	McGill.
Cade.	McNatt.
Chitwood.	Montgomery.
Coffey.	Moore.
Conway.	Morris.
Covey.	Nicholson.
Cox of Lamar.	Pavlica.
Cox of Navarro.	Pearce.
Davis of Wood.	Perdue.
DeBerry.	Petsch.
Dielmann.	Poage.
Donnell.	Pool.
Downs.	Pope.
Dunn of Falls.	Powell.
Durham.	Purl.
Enderby.	Rawlins.
Faulk.	Raymer.
Fields.	Renfro.
Finlay.	Robinson.
Florence.	Rogers.
Foster.	Rowell.
Frnka.	Rowland.
Graves.	Runge.
Gray.	Sanford.
Hagaman.	Shearer.
Harper.	Sheats.
High.	Simmons.
Hollowell.	Smith of Travis.
Hoskins.	Smyth.
Jacks.	Stautzenberger.
Jasper.	Stevens.
Johnson.	Stevenson.
Jones.	Storey.
Jordan.	Taylor.
Kayton.	Thompson.
Kenyon.	Tomme.
King.	Wells.
Kinnear.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Wester.
Low.	Williamson.

Nays—17.

Albritton.	Lane of Hamilton.
Avis.	McFarlane.
Barker.	Parish.
Bedford.	Rice.
Coody.	Sinks.
Farrar.	Stell.
Hall.	Stout.
Justice.	Walker.
Laird.	

Present—Not Voting.

Alexander	Cummings.
of Bastrop.	Young.

Absent.

Acker.	Bryant.
Atkinson.	Carter.
Bird.	Dale.
Blount.	Daniels.
Bonham.	Davis of Dallas.
Brown.	Dinkle.

Dunlap.	Simpson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Smith of Nueces.
Harman.	Sparks.
Hull.	Strong.
Kemble.	Teer.
Kittrell.	Veatch.
Lipscomb.	Wade.
Loftin.	Wallace.
Maxwell.	Webb.
McDougald.	Wilson.
McKean.	Woodruff.
Merritt.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 190 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Kemble.
Acker.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	King.
Baker of Orange.	Kinnear.
Barron.	Kittrell.
Bartlett.	Lane of Harrison.
Bateman.	Lipscomb.
Bean.	Loftin.
Bird.	Low.
Bobbitt.	Mankin.
Boggs.	Masterson.
Cade.	McBride.
Chitwood.	McDougald.
Coffey.	McGill.
Conway.	McNatt.
Covey.	Montgomery.
Cox of Lamar.	Moore.
Cox of Navarro.	Morris.
Dale.	Nicholson.
Davis of Dallas.	Pavlica.
Davis of Wood.	Pearce.
Dielmann.	Perdue.
Dinkle.	Petsch.
Donnell.	Pool.
Dunn of Falls.	Pope.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Powell.
Durham.	Purl.
Enderby.	Rawlins.
Faulk.	Raymer.
Fields.	Robinson.
Finlay.	Rogers.
Florence.	Rowell.
Foster.	Rowland.
Graves.	Runge.
Gray.	Sanford.
Hagaman.	Shearer.
Harper.	Sheats.
High.	Smith of Nueces.
Hollowell.	Smyth.
Hoskins.	Sparks.
Jacks.	Stautzenberger.
Johnson.	Stell.
Jones.	Stevens.
Jordan.	Stevenson.

Storey.	Webb.
Taylor.	Wells.
Teer.	Westbrook.
Thompson.	Wester.
Tomme.	Williamson.
Veatch.	Wilson.
Wallace.	Woodruff.

Nays—21.

Albritton.	Lane of Hamilton.
Alexander	Maxwell.
of Bastrop.	McFarlane.
Barker.	McKean.
Bedford.	Parish.
Coody.	Poage.
Downs.	Rice.
Farrar.	Simmons.
Hall.	Sinks.
Justice.	Stout.
Laird.	Walker.

Present—Not Voting.

Alexander	Cummings.
of Limestone.	Frnka.
Atkinson.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	Young.

Absent.

Avis.	Hull.
Blount.	Jasper.
Bonham.	Kayton.
Brown.	Merritt.
Bryant.	Renfro.
Carter.	Simpson.
Daniels.	Smith of Travis.
DeBerry.	Strong.
Dunlap.	Wade.
Harman.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

RELATING TO PLATFORM DEMANDS.

Mr. Bobbitt offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Under the rules of the House of Representatives it is provided that "all Democratic platform demands shall have precedence in accordance with their number over all other bills on all days except suspension days, etc"; and

Whereas, Measures of general interest to all the people of Texas are now pending before this House for consideration, including the entire educational appropriation bill, which are also, under the rules of the House, entitled to precedence, and should be considered in behalf of all educational institutions in Texas; and

Whereas, Senate bill No. 252 is a special measure which is intended for the sole benefit of one individual, and is not

a Democratic platform demand and not in a manner calculated to benefit the people of Texas, individually or collectively; and

Whereas, Said Senate bill No. 252 was submitted by unanimous vote of this House to the Attorney General of Texas, Hon. Dan Moody, requesting an opinion as to its validity if enacted into law, and the Attorney General rendered an opinion to this House holding said proposed bill absolutely unconstitutional and void if passed; and

Whereas, We believe in upholding the Constitution and laws of this State, and we have every confidence in the ability and integrity of the Attorney General of this State, and appreciate his efforts in behalf of constitutional law and sound Democratic government; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this House go on record as being in favor of, and that we go to work to accomplish the following things:

1. The enactment of laws necessary for the preservation and upbuilding of all our institutions, especially our public schools and State educational institutions.

2. The passage of laws in line with and in obedience to the platform demands of the Democratic party.

3. The enactment of measures which will be for the benefit of all the people of Texas as against those specific laws and privileges for the personal desire and benefit of any individual or set of individuals.

4. The enactment of laws which will protect and preserve our State and National Constitutions, and encourage our citizens to continue to respect and hold in high esteem the laws of our State.

The resolution was read second time.

RECESS.

Mr. Bobbitt moved that the House adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. today.

Mr. Loftin moved that the House recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

Mr. Purl moved that the House recess to 3 o'clock p. m. today.

Question first recurring on the motion to adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. today, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—63.

Acker.	Bartlett.
Alexander	Bedford.
of Bastrop.	Bobbitt.
Alexander	Bonham.
of Limestone.	Conway.
Atkinson.	Cox of Lamar.
Avis.	Cox of Navarro.

Cummings.	Nicholson.
Dinkle.	Parish.
Donnell.	Perdue.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Poage.
Durham.	Pool.
Fields.	Pope.
Foster.	Purl.
Hall.	Rawlins.
Harman.	Raymer.
Jacks.	Renfro.
Jordan.	Rice.
Kemble.	Rowland.
Kinnear.	Sheats.
Kittrell.	Smith of Travis.
Lane of Hamilton.	Sparks.
Lane of Harrison.	Stell.
Lipscomb.	Stevens.
Mankin.	Stout.
Maxwell.	Taylor.
McBride.	Teer.
McDonald.	Tomme.
McDougald.	Veatch.
McFarlane.	Wade.
McGill.	Wells.
McKean.	Westbrook.
McNatt.	Woodruff.

Nays—76.

Albritton.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Jones.
Baker of Orange.	Justice.
Baker of Panola.	Kayton.
Barker.	Kenyon.
Barron.	King.
Bateman.	Laird.
Bean.	Loftin.
Bird.	Low.
Boggs.	Masterson.
Bryant.	Montgomery.
Cade.	Moore.
Chitwood.	Morris.
Coffey.	Pavlica.
Coody.	Pearce.
Covey.	Petsch.
Dale.	Powell.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Runge.
Dielmann.	Sanford.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunlap.	Simmons.
Dunn of Falls.	Sinks.
Enderby.	Smith of Nueces.
Farrar.	Smyth.
Faulk.	Stautzenberger.
Finlay.	Stevenson.
Florence.	Storey.
Frnka.	Strong.
Graves.	Thompson.
Gray.	Wallace.
Hagaman.	Webb.
Harper.	Wester.
Hollowell.	Williamson.
Hoskins.	Wilson.
Jasper.	Young.

Absent.

Blount.	Hull.
Brown.	Merritt.
Carter.	Simpson.
High.	Walker.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Question next recurring on the motion to recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today, it prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 12 o'clock m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. DeBerry, Senate bill No. 384 and House bill No. 613 were ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Blount, Senate bill No. 428 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Stevenson, Senate bill No. 395 was ordered not printed.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
ON HOUSE BILL NO. 218.

Mr. Stevenson, Chairman on the part of the House, submitted the following Conference Committee report on House bill No. 218:

Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate; Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Free Conference Committee, appointed on the part of the Senate and House to adjust the differences between said bodies on

H. B. No. 218, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Chapter LX of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter IV of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XLIV of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXVII of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXXVIII of the General Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter X of the General Laws of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and an act to embody in one

act the substance of the provisions of said repealed statutes, with substantially the following eliminations and changes, viz: "et al.:

Have had same under consideration and beg to report on same as follows:

We recommend its passage with the following amendments:

1. Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That the following acts be, and the same are hereby, repealed, viz: Chapter LX of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XII of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter IV of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XLIV of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXVII of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXXVIII of the General Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter X of the General Laws of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature.

Sec. 2. The word "tick," as used in this act, is defined to mean the fever-carrying tick (*Magararopic Annulatus*) and no other species of ticks; and the word "cattle," as used in this act, is defined to include horses, mules and asses.

Sec. 3. It is hereby made the duty of the commission provided for in Article 7312, Revised Civil Statutes, to protect the domestic animals of the State from all malignant, contagious or infectious diseases, whether said diseases exist in Texas or elsewhere; and, subject to the limitations herein prescribed, said commission, for said purposes, is hereby authorized and empowered to establish, maintain and enforce such protective measures and quarantine lines and sanitary rules and regulations as may be necessary whenever it shall determine upon proper inspection that such diseases exist. It shall also be the duty of said commission to co-operate with the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and officers of other States and with the United States Secretary of Agriculture in establishing such interstate quarantine lines, rules and regulations, subject to the limitations herein prescribed, as shall best protect the livestock industry of this State against the fever-carrying tick (*Magararopic Annulatus*) and other malignant, contagious, infectious or

other communicable diseases of livestock. It shall be the duty of said commission to quarantine any district, county, part of county or premises within this State when it shall determine, upon proper inspection, the fact that cattle, sheep, or other livestock in such district, county or part of county or premises are infected with any malignant, contagious, infectious or communicable disease, or with the agency of transmission of such disease, and to give written or printed notice of such quarantine to the proper officers of railroad and express companies doing business in or through such quarantine district, county, or part of county within this State, and to publish notices of the establishment of such quarantine in such newspaper in the quarantined district, county, or part of county as the Live Stock Sanitary Commission may select, or to give notice in such ways as it deems necessary and adequate for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a quarantine service; and no railroad or express company shall receive for transportation, or transport from any quarantined district, county, or part of county in this State into any other district, county, or part of county within this State any cattle, sheep or other livestock except as hereinafter provided for; nor shall any person, company or corporation deliver for transportation to any railroad or express company any cattle, sheep or other livestock from a quarantined area except as hereinafter provided; nor shall any person, company or corporation drive on foot, or cause to be driven on foot, or transport in private conveyance, or cause to be transported in private conveyance, or drive or permit to be driven or permit to go, whether driven or not, from a quarantined district, county, or part of county or premises in this State any cattle, sheep or other livestock except as hereinafter provided. It is hereby made the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas to make and promulgate rules and regulations which shall permit and govern the inspection, disinfection, certification, treatment, and handling and method and manner of delivery and shipment of cattle and other livestock from and into a quarantined district, county or part of county or premises and into any other district, county, or part of county or premises in this State, and said commission shall make and promulgate rules and regulations which shall permit and govern the movement and shipment of cattle and other livestock from or into a quarantined district, county or part of county or premises into any other dis-

trict, county, or part of county or premises in this State, and said rules and regulations shall permit cattle to be shipped from all quarantined areas to State markets, without other condition, for immediate slaughter on being cleaned of ticks under official inspection; and shall permit cattle to be shipped from quarantined areas into non-tick infested areas otherwise than for immediate slaughter upon such cattle being dipped until they are cleaned of ticks and inspected by an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and it is hereby made the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to promptly furnish official inspection of all cattle tendered for shipment from quarantined areas upon application to it for such inspection by the owner or caretaker of such cattle. It is hereby made the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas to give notice of all of its rules and regulations by proclamation issued by the Governor of Texas and to furnish to any owner of livestock who applies therefor a printed copy of all such rules and regulations. The said Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas is hereby empowered to employ a State veterinarian and assistant State veterinarian in time of emergency, and inspectors or other persons as it may deem necessary for the performance of the duties imposed upon said commission and the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, the State veterinarian, assistant State veterinarians and inspectors acting under authority or direction of the commission are hereby empowered and it is made their duty at their discretion to enter upon the premises of any person or persons, company or corporation within this State for the purpose of inspecting, quarantining or disinfecting premises or livestock thereon.

Sec. 4. It is hereby provided that the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas shall have the power to control the sale and distribution of all veterinary biological products within this State, and it is hereby made its duty, subject to the limitations herein prescribed, to destroy and eradicate the fever-carrying tick; also to eradicate and eliminate the scabies, sheep scab, hog cholera, glanders, and all other malignant, contagious, infectious and other communicable diseases of livestock. For this purpose it is empowered and directed to establish special quarantine districts where such disease or infection of such diseases are known to exist, and notice of the establishment of such special quarantine districts shall be given as provided for in Article 7314, Revised Civil Stat-

utes, and in Section 3 of this act. Said commission shall have the power to quarantine premises or pastures located in said special quarantine districts and the domestic livestock thereon situated in such quarantined districts or elsewhere when such pasture or quarantined premises or livestock located thereon are infected with or have been exposed to a malignant, contagious, infectious or communicable disease or infection thereof; and no livestock shall be moved to or from such special quarantined district or from any pastures or premises located in such special quarantined district in a manner, method or condition other than those prescribed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and by this act. It shall be the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to prescribe methods for dipping livestock or otherwise treating or disinfecting said premises and the livestock thereon, as in their opinion are necessary and adequate for the eradication of the disease or the infection of the disease for which they are quarantined.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners court to co-operate with and assist the Live Stock Sanitary Commission in protecting the livestock for their respective counties from all malignant, contagious and infectious or communicable diseases, whether such diseases exist within or outside of the county, and otherwise to protect the livestock interests of their counties. It shall be the duty of the commissioners courts in these counties which adopt compulsory tick eradication work under the local option provisions of this act to co-operate with the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and the officers working under the authority or direction of said Commission in the suppression and eradication of ticks and all malignant, contagious, infectious or communicable diseases of livestock; provided when it becomes necessary to disinfect any premises, county or subdivision of the county infected with anthrax, hog cholera, glanders, foot and mouth disease, bovine tuberculosis, or contagious abortion, under orders of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, the county judge of the county where said premises are located shall have such disinfecting done at the expense of the county and according to the rules and regulations of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and said commissioners courts are hereby authorized and empowered and directed to appropriate monies out of the general fund of their counties, to incur indebtedness by the

issuance of warrants, and to levy a tax to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the payment thereof, for the purpose of purchasing, constructing or leasing necessary public dipping vats within their counties; provided that said warrants shall draw interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum and shall run not exceeding twenty years from the date hereof.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, whenever they have reason to believe or shall receive notice that any malignant, contagious, infectious or communicable diseases exist among any domestic animals in the State, to immediately investigate, and if such disease is found to exist, or if they have reason to believe such disease exists, to immediately quarantine such animals and premises and land upon which they are located, provided that if glanders or anthrax is found, the State veterinarian or assistant State veterinarian shall make a thorough investigation and shall notify the county judge of the county wherein such animals are located of the number and description of the animals so infected.

Sec. 7. It shall be the duty of the county judge of any county in this State, whenever any horse, mule or ass within their counties is found infected with glanders or anthrax, and have been quarantined by order of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, to appoint three disinterested parties who shall act as appraisers and fix the value of such animals at their actual value at the time of such appraisement, and make a sworn written report of said appraisement to the county judge, whereupon the commissioners court shall pass upon such written report, and pay to the owner of the animals their appraised value. The county judge, on receipt of a report of the appraisers, as provided for in this section, shall issue an order to the sheriff, deputy sheriff, or any constable of the county, commanding him to seize said diseased animal or animals, and take same to some secluded place and kill them and burn their carcass or carcasses, and said appraisers and officers shall be paid for their services as provided for in Article 7320, Revised Civil Statutes.

Sec. 8. It shall be the duty of any person, firm or corporation of this State to burn to ashes or bury at a depth of not less than two and one-half feet and to cover with quick lime the carcass or carcasses of any domestic animal or animals dying from any infectious, con-

tagious or communicable disease of any malignant character that may be found upon their premises within twenty-four hours after the death of such animal or animals. Any person who is the owner or caretaker of any premises who shall fail or refuse to burn to ashes or bury to the depth herein prescribed and cover with quick lime the carcass or carcasses of any domestic animal or animals dying from infectious, contagious or communicable disease of a malignant character found on such premises within twenty-four hours after the death of such animal or animals, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not less than ten dollars or more than one hundred dollars, and each day said owner or caretaker of said premises shall fail or refuse to burn said animal or animals, as aforesaid, shall be deemed a separate offense.

Sec. 9. It shall be the duty of the commissioners court of every county in Texas where systematic tick eradication work is not being conducted at the State expense, whenever they deem it expedient, or when petitioned to do so by seventy-five resident land owners and qualified voters in the county, to order an election for the purpose of determining whether the county shall take up and prosecute the work of tick eradication in said county. Said election shall be ordered and held not less than sixty days after the filing of the petition. At said election the ballots shall have printed upon them "For tick eradication inCounty," and "Against tick eradication inCounty." The officers of said election shall hold said election and make return thereof as provided by law in cases of other elections, as nearly as may be. Said returns shall be made to the county judge of the county. The commissioners court shall meet and canvass said returns as soon as practicable after such election, and if they find that a majority of all the votes cast were in favor of tick eradication, under the direction of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, they shall so certify to said commission and cause publication of the result of said election to be made in a newspaper published in said county, which publication shall be certified to by the county judge of said county, and said certificate shall be filed with the county clerk of said county, which said certificate shall be admissible in evidence in any court of this State. The county judge of the

county shall immediately so notify the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and upon receipt of such notice from the county judge of the county so holding the election, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall cause to be issued a supplemental proclamation signed by the Governor of Texas, and the citizens of said county, in co-operation with and under the direction of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, shall begin work of tick eradication within thirty days of the issuance of said supplemental proclamation. Should the commissioners court find that a majority of the votes cast were against tick eradication, then the county judge shall so notify the Live Stock Sanitary Commission.

Sec. 10. Any person, firm or corporation who is the owner or caretaker of any cattle located in any territory which is quarantined because of tick infestation, who shall drive, ship, drift, or permit his cattle to go into any county, part of any county, or district, or premises, or land of another, which has been freed of ticks or in which systematic tick eradication is being carried on, without a written permit of an inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, or of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, showing said cattle to be free of ticks, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars per head for all livestock so shipped, driven, drifted, or permitted to go into unquarantined territory, or in territory in which systematic tick eradication is being carried on. Provided, that any person or persons violating the provisions of this section of this act may be prosecuted in the county from which such cattle were so illegally moved, and in each county into or through which they may have been taken.

Sec. 11. The commissioners court of every county within this State where tick eradication is carried on under the provisions of this act may nominate for appointment by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission the number of county inspectors found by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to be necessary to carry on the work of active tick eradication in such county, and when so nominated said Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall appoint them. In the event of the failure or refusal of the commissioners court to nominate said county inspectors the Live Stock Sanitary Com-

mission is hereby authorized to appoint the number of county inspectors deemed by them to be necessary. Said county inspectors shall be residents of said county, shall work under the direction and orders of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and shall be subject to discharge by said commission, and shall be paid their salaries out of the State Treasury of Texas, their compensation to be fixed by said commission.

In the event the commissioners court should nominate any persons who are thereafter appointed such county inspectors and the Live Stock Sanitary Commission find or conclude that the commissioners court of said county are trying to retard tick eradication or that they are nominating men who are incompetent or negligent in the performance of their duty, then in that event said Live Stock Sanitary Commission is hereby authorized to ignore in the future nominations or recommendations by said commissioners court of county inspectors. In any event, county inspectors must be residents of the county in which they are appointed to work.

The Live Stock Sanitary Commission is hereby empowered to appoint a chief inspector, chief clerk, and such supervising inspectors as they deem necessary to carry on active, systematic tick eradication, and they are authorized and empowered to employ such clerical help as may be deemed necessary to maintain their office, and to appoint a chief veterinarian and such assistant veterinarians as they may deem necessary.

Sec. 12. Whenever any district, county or part of county shall be quarantined by order of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission on account of scabies or scab in sheep, every individual premises and the lands of every individual, firm or corporation within such quarantined area shall be quarantined separately, and no cattle or other live stock shall be shipped, driven or drifted from any premises where located when such quarantine is declared, without a written permit from an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas.

Sec. 13. In every county or part of county in this State where systematic tick eradication work is being conducted under the provisions of this act, every person, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for any cattle which have the fever-carrying tick (*Magaropie Annulatus*) upon them or upon any one of them, or that are exposed to the said fever-carrying tick, or that are on any premises or other place on

which the fever-carrying tick is known to exist, or that have sometime within nine months next preceding the issuance of the written direction to dip, hereinafter provided, been exposed to the said fever-carrying tick or been on said premises or other place on which the fever-carrying tick is known to exist, who shall fail or refuse to dip said cattle at such time and in such manner as directed in writing by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, as provided for in this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, and each day of such failure or refusal shall be a separate offense.

Sec. 14. The Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, is hereby authorized and empowered to direct in writing any person or persons, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for any cattle which are subject to be dipped under the provisions of this act in the prosecution of the systematic tick eradication work, to dip said cattle under the supervision of an authorized inspector of such Commission in an arsenical solution of a strength not less than seven and one-half pounds, and not more than eight and one-half pounds, of arsenic to each five hundred gallons of water in the said solution for the purpose of destroying, eradicating and removing said fever-carrying tick or exposure, subject to the provisions of this act. Said dippings shall be administered at regular intervals, but the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall not require the dipping of cattle at more frequent intervals than every fourteen days.

Sec. 15. The written direction issued by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, requiring the dipping of cattle, as provided for in this act, shall be dated, showing the date of its issuance, the name of the person, company or corporation to whom the said directions are given, the approximate location of the premises on which the said live stock are located; the name of the county in which said premises are located, and it shall state in clear and intelligible language that the said cattle, which the said person is therein directed to dip, have the fever-carrying tick upon them, or that they are exposed to the said fever-carrying tick, or are on a premise or other place on which the fever-carrying tick is known to exist, or that they have sometimes during the nine months next preceding the date of the issuance of said written

direction hereinbefore provided been exposed to the said fever-carrying tick, or been on a premise or other place on which the fever-carrying tick is known to exist; and it shall direct the said person, company or corporation to dip the said live stock under the supervision of an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, in an arsenical solution of a strength of not less than seven and one-half pounds, nor more than eight and one-half pounds of arsenic to each five hundred gallons of water in the dipping solution in which the said livestock are to be dipped, and it shall designate the place, date and time that said dipping is to be done, and it shall be signed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission or its chairman.

Sec. 16. The said dipping direction, provided for in this act, shall be delivered to the person, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for said cattle required to be dipped at least fourteen full days before the date and time said dipping is to be administered. The person, company or corporation owning, controlling or caring for said cattle required to be dipped under the provision of this act may file with the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, a written affidavit at any time within five days after receiving said written direction and not later, denying that said cattle are subject to being dipped under the provisions of law, or that for good and sufficient reason set out in said affidavit the said person, company or corporation is entitled to have said dipping direction rescinded, or to have said dipping postponed, and requesting that the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, withhold the enforcement of said dipping direction and grant him or them a hearing on said matter, or make necessary investigation to determine the correctness of the statement contained in said affidavit. Upon the receipt of said affidavit, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, shall within five days after receipt of such affidavit grant said affiant a hearing in the office of the chairman of said Commission if the affiant so desires it, and give such affiant notice of such hearing, by telegram or registered mail, and which hearing shall be set not less than four days after the service of said notice and the said Commission shall consider such ex parte affidavits as such owner or caretaker may file with said Commission in said hearing, and said Commission and its chairman shall make such investigation in person or through

its authorized representatives, in reference to said statement as the said Commission, or chairman thereof, deem necessary, and if said statements are found to be correct, the said dipping direction shall be rescinded by the said Commission, or its chairman; otherwise, the said dipping direction shall be enforced on the day and at the time specified in said written direction. The said Commission, or its chairman, after having granted said hearing, or made said investigation, shall notify the said person, company or corporation in writing of its findings, which said notice shall be delivered to the said person, company or corporation at least four full days before the day and time he or they are required to dip said cattle by virtue of said written direction. Any person, company or corporation who has been directed to dip said cattle as hereinbefore provided for who shall be dissatisfied with the findings of said Live Stock Sanitary Commission, he or they may apply to a court of proper venue and jurisdiction for injunctive or other relief, which application for injunction, upon proper allegations and verification, shall be granted and the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall not enforce the said dipping order until the final disposition of such suit.

Sec. 17. The ascertaining of the presence of the fever-carrying tick on any premise, place or live stock, or the ascertaining of exposure of premises, places or livestock to the said fever-carrying tick, shall be done by authorized representative or inspectors of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or by the said Commissioners.

Sec. 18. The Live Stock Sanitary Commission is hereby authorized and empowered to make, adopt and promulgate rules and regulations in conformity with this act for the carrying out and enforcing the provisions of this act.

Sec. 19. Whenever the Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall have determined the fact that cattle, or other livestock, are infected with or exposed to splenic tick fever, bovine tuberculosis, anthrax, glanders, contagious abortion, hemorrhagic septicaemia, scabies, hog cholera, Malta fever, or other similar or dissimilar contagious, infectious or communicable diseases, or to the agency of transmission thereof, recognized by the veterinary science as being contagious, infectious or communicable, the said commission shall designate the district, county, or part of county or premises necessary to be quarantined, and notice

of such quarantine shall be issued by the said commission, or chairman thereof, as provided herein. Publication of such quarantine orders may be made in any newspaper within such area, or if no newspaper is published in such area, then the nearest newspaper thereto. In lieu of such publication the Live Stock Sanitary Commission may give notice of such quarantine by posting a copy of such quarantine notice at the county courthouse door of the county in which said quarantine is to be effective. A written notice of such quarantine delivered to the owner or caretaker of live stock to be quarantined shall be sufficient notice of such quarantine, in lieu of notices above provided; provided, that the owner and caretaker of milch cows or dairy cows shall not be required to dip such cattle unless upon examination by an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission such cattle or a part of them are found to have the fever-carrying tick upon them, or are exposed to said fever-carrying tick, and if the said Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall so find, then said quarantine shall be effective as to the premises of such owner and said person shall be subject to all the provisions of this act, provided the term milch or dairy cows shall include only such cattle as are actually used for domestic or dairy purposes and does not include stocker or breeding cattle for other purposes.

Sec. 20. Any owner, caretaker, or person in charge of any cattle, horses, mules or asses, who shall refuse to permit any duly authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to enter upon his land and premises for the purpose of making an inspection of such livestock to determine whether they are infected with said fever-carrying tick, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars.

Sec. 21. Any owner, caretaker or person in charge of any cattle infested with or exposed to the fever-carrying tick, who shall ship, drive or permit such stock to be moved or strayed to any county, part of county, or on the premises or land of another, whether in the county from which said driving, shipping or drifting or straying commence, or into some other county that has been freed of said fever-carrying tick, or released from quarantine, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not less than one dollar per head

nor more than five dollars per head for all such livestock so shipped, driven, drifted, strayed or permitted to go into such clean territory; and prosecutions under this section of this act may be instituted and carried on in the county where the movement originated and in each county into or through which they may have been so moved.

Sec. 22. Any railway company, or receiver or receivers of any railway company or other common carrier, who shall receive for shipment or who shall haul or transport into any county in this State any cattle, horses, mules or asses, in violation of any quarantine established by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, or who shall receive for shipment, or who shall transport from any county in this State that is under quarantine to any other county in this State any cattle that have not been certified to by a regular inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act, and in any suit brought in a court of competent jurisdiction by the district or county attorney, either in the county where such shipment was received by said railroad company, receiver, or other common carrier, or in the county to which or through which said shipment may be moved, such county attorney or district attorney is hereby authorized to recover, for the benefit of the State, penalties against said railway company of not more than fifty dollars per head for such cattle so received, hauled or transported.

Sec. 23. The owner, caretaker or person in charge of any cattle located in any quarantined county, district, area, premises or land, may move said cattle to shipping pens, and may ship same to market for the purpose of immediate slaughter upon one dipping, provided that in the driving or otherwise moving said cattle to the shipping pens, they shall not be moved or transported over or into any land or premises belonging to another that has been declared clean of the fever tick by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or over or into any land or premises upon which systematic tick eradication is being carried on by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission or the Bureau of Animal Industry.

If any owner, caretaker or other person in charge of any cattle intended to be shipped to market for immediate slaughter shall fail to dip their cattle or after dipping said cattle shall drive them to any shipping point through or

into any area, premises or land of another declared clean by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or into any premises or land of another upon which systematic tick eradication is being carried on by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or who has failed to secure a certificate from a duly authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission or the Bureau of Animal Industry showing that the abovementioned conditions have been complied with, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$200; and if the provisions of this section of this act are violated by driving said cattle from one county into or through another county, the prosecution may be instituted and maintained in the county where said movement of cattle originated and in any other county into or through which said cattle may have been so taken, moved or driven, transported or shipped. Provided, that cattle shipped for the purpose of immediate slaughter under the provisions of this section shall be shipped within seventy-two (72) hours from the time they were dipped. The solution in which said cattle are dipped shall not be less than eight and one-fourth nor more than nine and one-eighth pounds of arsenic to each 500 gallons of water.

Sec. 23a. Any owner or person in charge of any cattle located in quarantined counties in this State may move or ship said cattle to any other quarantined county in this State upon one dipping under official inspection of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission or the Bureau of Animal Industry and so certified as having been inspected by said Live Stock Sanitary Commission or said Bureau of Animal Industry, provided the county to which said cattle are shipped is not engaged in systematic tick eradication, and provided further that in moving said cattle to the shipping pens in the county from which they are shipped and in moving cattle from the shipping pens in the county to which they are shipped they do not go into, through or over any clean land or premises, and provided further that said cattle shall not be unloaded en route in clean pens and shall not be unloaded at the point of destination in any clean pens; provided that said cattle shall be shipped within forty-eight hours from the time they are dipped. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not less than one dollar per head and not

exceeding five dollars per head for said cattle so unlawfully shipped or driven, and provided further that prosecutions under this section may be maintained in the county in which said shipment originated and in each county into or through which said cattle may have been driven or shipped. Said cattle shall be dipped in a solution of not less than eight and one-fourth pounds and not more than nine and one-eighth pounds of arsenic to each 500 gallons of water; provided that cattle may be driven from one quarantined county to another quarantined county, and when so driven pass through quarantined territory in which no systematic tick eradication is being carried on, and do not pass through or along side of any clean territory, said cattle may be driven without dipping.

Sec. 24. Any person owning, controlling or in charge of any domestic animal or animals which shall be required to be dipped under any of the provisions of this act, who shall wilfully fail or refuse to maintain said dip at the strength officially specified, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars.

Sec. 25. Immediately after this act becomes effective, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas shall make out and certify to the Governor of Texas a list of all counties and portions of counties in Texas which have tick infested territory, land or premises that lie west of the following line, beginning at the mouth of the Brazos River, thence with said river to the northwest corner of Robertson county, and a list of all counties lying north or west of the hereinafter described line; commencing at the northwest corner of Robertson county on said Brazos River; thence in an easterly direction with the north lines of Robertson and Leon counties to the northeast corner of Leon county in the west line of Anderson county; thence in a southerly direction, following the west line of Anderson county to the southwest corner of said county and the northwest corner of Houston county; thence in an easterly direction with the dividing line between said counties of Anderson and Houston, to the southeast corner of Anderson county; thence in a northerly direction, following the east line of Anderson county, to the northwest corner of Cherokee county, same being the southwest corner of Smith county; thence in an easterly direction, following the north line of Cherokee county to the northeast corner of same, being the southeast corner of said Smith coun-

ty in the west line of Rusk county; thence with the west line of Rusk county, in a northerly direction, to the northwest corner of same, said point being the southwest corner of Gregg county; thence in an easterly direction following the north line of Rusk county to where the same intersects the south line of Harrison county; thence with the south line of Harrison county and the north line of Panola county; thence with the south line of Harrison county to the southeast corner of said Harrison county on the Louisiana State line.

The Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall designate from time to time, the counties and portions of counties in said areas west of said Brazos River and north and west of a line running from the northwest corner of said Robertson county to the southeast corner of Harrison county as set out above in which systematic tick eradication work will be commenced, and the Governor shall thereupon issue his proclamation requiring systematic tick eradication work to begin and be prosecuted in said counties and portions of counties so designated by said Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and thereafter, from time to time, said Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall make out a list of additional counties or portions of counties in which they will carry on systematic tick eradication, if any, and thereupon the Governor shall issue his proclamation requiring systematic tick eradication work to begin in said counties or portions of counties so designated by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission. The expense of said work to be borne as follows:

The salaries of all supervising inspectors and such county inspectors as the Live Stock Sanitary Commission may deem necessary, shall be borne by the State of Texas, and the expense of purchasing the necessary dip shall also be borne by the State of Texas. The expense of buying or leasing and maintaining the necessary dipping vats shall be borne by the respective counties in said territory, and said counties shall also bear the expense of constructing and maintaining such necessary pens and other facilities incident to the proper dipping of live stock; and said work of tick eradication shall be prosecuted until the fever ticks therein are destroyed and said territory is released from quarantine by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission.

In all counties in this State, east of the Brazos River, and south of said line running from the northwest corner of

Robertson county to the southeast corner of Harrison county, who shall, at an election held for that purpose under the provisions of this act, declare in favor of tick eradication, the expense of supervising inspectors and county inspectors, as well as the purchase of all necessary dip to carry on the work of tick eradication, shall be borne by the State of Texas, and the buying or leasing and maintaining the necessary dipping vats shall be borne by the respective counties, and said counties shall also bear the expense of constructing and maintaining such necessary pens and other facilities incident to the proper dipping of live stock.

Sec. 27. In all counties and parts of counties in this State in which tick eradication work is being prosecuted under the provisions of this act, or by virtue of any local option election, it shall be the duty of the owner, owners or caretakers of such cattle, or other livestock within such territory, to gather same, at his or their own expense, and drive, or cause them to be driven, to the dipping vat, and to dip same for the purpose of eradicating said fever ticks. Upon the failure or refusal of any such owner, owners or caretakers of such animals so to do when directed by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, he or they shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined in any sum not less than twenty-five (\$25) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100) dollars, and each and every day that he or they shall refuse or fail to dip said cattle after said notice shall constitute a separate offense.

Sec. 27a. Premises, as referred to in this act, is hereby defined as being any lot, block, tract, subdivision, subdivisions, surveys, grants, part or parts thereof, of any kind situated within this State.

Sec. 27b. No inspector provided for in this act shall be permitted to carry on or about his person, saddle or in his saddle bags, or automobile any pistol, dirk, dagger, slungshot, sword cane, spear or knuckles made of any metal or any hard substance, bowie knife, or any other knife manufactured or sold for the purposes of offense or defense.

And in case any inspector secures appointment as deputy sheriff or deputy constable, or any other office that will permit him to carry arms, he shall at once be discharged by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and in case they refuse to discharge such inspector, the county judge of the county where such

inspector is employed shall discharge him.

Sec. 27c. By the term clean land, clean premises, clean area, clean pens and non-tick infested area, is meant those areas, premises, pens or land that have been declared free of the fever-carrying tick by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission.

Sec. 28. The fact that there is now no adequate law in this State, defining the duties of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or regulating livestock sanitary control work in Texas, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring all bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this act shall take effect and be in force, as set out in its provisions, from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

2. Strike out all above or before the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

By Free Conference Committee:

F. C. C. B. for H. B. No. 218. A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Chapter LX of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XII of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter IV of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XLIV of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXVII of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter XXXVIII of the General Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter X of the General Laws of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and an act to embody in one act the substance of the provisions of said repealed statutes, with substantially the following eliminations and changes, viz.:

1. Abolishing the system of compulsory tick eradication and eradication zones, as provided for in said repealed statutes.

2. Providing for the placing under quarantine of all portions of Texas that are at present infested with the fever-carrying tick.

3. Providing for compulsory tick eradication work, at the expense of the State and the several counties as pro-

vided for in this act, such work to be initiated and commenced in those tick infested counties and portions of counties, and being all counties north and west of the following lines:

"Commencing at the northwest corner of Robertson county, on said Brazos River; thence in an easterly direction with the north lines of Robertson and Leon counties to the northeast corner of Leon county, in the west line of Anderson county; thence in a southerly direction, following the west line of Anderson county, to the southwest corner of said county and northwest corner of Houston county; thence in an easterly direction with the dividing line between said counties of Anderson and Houston to the southeast corner of Anderson county; thence in a northerly direction, following the east line of Anderson county, to the northwest corner of Cherokee county, same being the southwest corner of Smith county; thence in an easterly direction, following the north line of Cherokee county, to the northeast corner of same, being the southeast corner of said Smith county, in the west line of Rusk county; thence with the west line of Rusk county in a northerly direction to the northwest corner of same, said point being the southwest corner of Gregg county; thence in an easterly direction, following the north line of Rusk county, to where the same intersects the south line of Harrison county and the north line of Panola county; thence with the south line of Harrison county to the southeast corner of said Harrison county on the Louisiana State line, and providing for the prosecution of said compulsory tick eradication work until all of the counties and portions of counties lying west and north of the above mentioned line are free of the fever-carrying tick and are released from quarantine by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas."

4. Prohibiting the owners of livestock in quarantined areas from shipping, driving, or permitting such stock to go, without legally issued permits therefor, into or along the side of any area that is free of fever-carrying ticks or in which systematic tick eradication is being carried on, and prescribing penalties for a violation of said requirement.

5. Prohibiting the owners, caretakers or persons in charge of any cattle infested with the fever-carrying tick from shipping, driving, drifting or permitting said cattle to go into any other county

or portion of county within this State that is free of ticks or that may have been released from quarantine by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas, and providing penalties therefor.

6. Prohibiting any owner or those controlling or caring for any livestock from moving from the land or premises of any person in a county that has been quarantined, livestock on, to, through or along the side of the premises or land of any other person in such county, without securing a permit in writing from a duly authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, and prohibiting the shipping, driving or moving of quarantined livestock in any manner from any county under quarantine into any other county in this State, without first securing a written permit from a duly authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas; and providing penalties therefor.

7. Requiring all owners or caretakers of any livestock, subject to infestation by the fever-carrying tick, to gather, drive and dip their livestock when infested or exposed to the said fever-carrying tick, upon each regular dipping date; and providing penalties therefor.

8. Providing penalties for the railroads and other common carriers in this State for receiving and transporting any cattle from any quarantined portion of this State to any other portion of this State, without those cattle having been first certified to by a duly authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas, as being cattle subject to be shipped or transported under the provisions of this act.

9. Permitting livestock to go, on permits of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission or the Bureau of Animal Industry, from all quarantined counties, areas, premises or land to State markets for immediate slaughter after one dipping under official inspection of said Live Stock Sanitary Commission or of said Bureau of Animal Industry, and permitting cattle to go from quarantined to other quarantined counties on one dipping under said official inspection, provided the county to which such cattle are shipped is not engaged in systematic tick eradication, and providing, further, that in moving said cattle to the shipping pens when shipped for immediate slaughter or to another quarantined county, they shall not pass through, into or along the side of any clean area or

any area in which systematic tick eradication is being carried on, and in the case of cattle shipped from one quarantined county to another quarantined county they shall not be unloaded in clean pens, or unloaded in clean pens at the point of destination, and shall not, after they reach the point of destination, be driven or moved through, into or along the side of any clean area; and providing penalties therefor.

10. Permitting livestock to be shipped or moved, on permit, from all quarantine areas into free areas, otherwise than for immediate slaughter, upon such livestock being dipped, until cleaned of ticks and inspected by an authorized inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, which certificate, among other things, shall recite that said cattle have been dipped until they are cleaned of ticks, and have not been, since being so cleaned, exposed to said fever tick, and providing that said Live Stock Sanitary Commission shall furnish such inspection and permit when requested by the livestock owner to do so; and providing for penalties therefor.

11. Providing for the eradication and control, among cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats, hogs, and other livestock of this State, of all infectious, contagious and communicable diseases of livestock, known as splenic tick fever, bovine tuberculosis, anthrax, glanders, contagious abortion, hemorrhagic septicemia, cattle scabies, hog cholera, Malta fever, foot and mouth disease, rabies, and other contagious and infectious diseases; providing for a system of quarantine by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, and the quarantine of such of the above mentioned livestock, premises, pens, pastures, ranches, yards, counties and parts of counties; authorizing said commission to issue direction for dipping cattle, horses, mules, and asses, for eradicating the fever-carrying tick and cattle scabies; providing for said Commission to adopt necessary rules and regulations; providing for the division of the State of Texas into free area, tick eradication area and general quarantine area, and the eradication of the fever-carrying tick (*Magararopic Annulatus*) in the tick eradication area and free area, and providing for said Commission to employ supervising inspectors and to appoint county inspectors upon the recommendation of the respective commissioners courts, and to authorize the employment of veterinarians, clerical help, law enforcement assistants and other necessary help to carry out the provisions of this

act; providing for the respective commissioners courts, in counties where tick eradication work is being carried on, to furnish and maintain necessary dipping vats, and the expense of paying the salaries of inspectors and furnishing dip to be borne by the State of Texas.

12. Providing for the establishment by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of such rules and regulations as will require owners of cattle, horses, mules and asses to dip said animals in an arsenical solution of not less than seven and one-half pounds and not more than nine and one-eighth pounds of arsenic to each 500 gallons of water, for the purpose of destroying, eradicating and removing the fever-carrying tick or exposure, and providing a penalty for the refusal of the owner, caretaker or person in charge of said live stock to so dip same, and continue said dipping at intervals of every fourteen days, or such longer time, as said Live Stock Sanitary Commission may direct and require in its regulation.

13. Providing and granting authority to any inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas to go on the premises and land of any owner of live stock in this State, and authorizing them to make an examination of the cattle, horses, mules and asses, to determine whether they are infested with the fever-carrying tick; and providing penalties therefor.

14. Providing for a system of local option tick eradication work, at State expense, in all tick infested counties in Texas in which said work is not now being prosecuted at State and county expense and as provided for in this act; and declaring an emergency.

15. Providing for the employment and payment of supervising and county inspectors and the purchase of necessary dip, at State expense, and providing for the counties in which systematic tick eradication is being carried on, building, leasing and maintaining dipping vats, pens and other facilities.

16. Providing that any owner, owners, or caretakers of any cattle or other live stock that carry fever-carrying ticks, shall gather, drive and dip said cattle after being given notice by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission, or its chairman, so to do, and providing penalties for the failure to comply with said notices as provided for in this act.

17. Providing for the district attorney and the Attorney General to bring suit for mandamus against the county judge and commissioners court, compelling them to furnish necessary dipping

vats, pens, chutes, and appliances, and to maintain same, as provided for in this act."

Respectfully submitted,

PARR,
STUART,
FAIRCHILD,
STRONG,
BOWERS,

On the part of the Senate.

STEVENSON,
LOFTIN,
FINLAY,
DOWNS,
WESTBROOK,

On the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Stevenson, the report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—111.

Mr. Speaker.	Harman.
Acker.	Harper.
Albritton.	High.
Amsler.	Hoskins.
Avis.	Jacks.
Barker.	Jones.
Barron.	Jordan.
Bartlett.	Justice.
Bateman.	Kenyon.
Bean.	Kinnear.
Bedford.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Laird.
Bobbitt.	Lipscomb.
Boggs.	Loftin.
Bonham.	Low.
Brown.	Mankin.
Bryant.	Masterson.
Cade.	Maxwell.
Chitwood.	McBride.
Coffey.	McDougald.
Conway.	McGill.
Coody.	McKean.
Covey.	McNatt.
Cox of Navarro.	Moore.
Dale.	Morris.
Daniels.	Nicholson.
Davis of Dallas.	Parish.
DeBerry.	Pavlica.
Dielmann.	Pearce.
Dinkle.	Perdue.
Donnell.	Petsch.
Downs.	Poage.
Dunlap.	Pool.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pope.
Durham.	Powell.
Enderby.	Purl.
Farrar.	Rawlins.
Faulk.	Raymer.
Fields.	Rice.
Finlay.	Robinson.
Foster.	Rogers.
Frnka.	Rowell.
Graves.	Rowland.
Gray.	Runge.
Hagaman.	Sanford.

Shearer.	Strong.
Sheats.	Taylor.
Simmons.	Thompson.
Smith of Nueces.	Veatch.
Smyth.	Webb.
Stautzenberger.	Westbrook.
Stevens.	Wester.
Stevenson.	Williamson.
Storey.	Wilson.
Stout.	Young.

Nays—10.

Alexander	Sparks.
of Bastrop.	Stell.
Cox of Lamar.	Tomme.
Davis of Wood.	Walker.
Hollowell.	Woodruff.
Lane of Hamilton.	

Present—Not Voting.

Jasper.

Absent.

Alexander	King.
of Limestone.	Lane of Harrison.
Atkinson.	McDonald.
Baker of Orange.	McFarlane.
Baker of Panola.	Merritt.
Blount.	Montgomery.
Carter.	Renfro.
Cummings.	Simpson.
Dunn of Falls.	Sinks.
Florence.	Smith of Travis.
Hall.	Teer.
Hull.	Wade.
Johnson.	Wallace.
Kayton.	Wells.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

TO CHANGE RULES OF THE HOUSE.

Mr. Williamson offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the House, That Rule 28, Section 1, be amended by placing a semicolon after the word "House" at the end of the first paragraph, and adding immediately thereafter the following: "and the immediate families of members of the House of Representatives."

The resolution was read second time and was referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Rules.

RELATING TO PLATFORM DEMANDS.

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being resolution offered by Mr. Bobbitt, relating to consideration of "Platform Demands," the resolution having heretofore been read second time.

Mr. Loftin moved that the resolution be tabled.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Nays—79.

Acker.	Jones.
Albritton.	Justice.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Baker of Orange.	Kemble.
Barker.	Kenyon.
Barron.	King.
Bateman.	Kinnear.
Bean.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Laird.
Boggs.	Loftin.
Brown.	Low.
Bryant.	Masterson.
Cade.	Maxwell.
Chitwood.	Moore.
Coffey.	Morris.
Coody.	Pavlica.
Cox of Lamar.	Pearce.
Cox of Navarro.	Petsch.
Dale.	Powell.
Daniels.	Rice.
Davis of Dallas.	Robinson.
Davis of Wood.	Rogers.
DeBerry.	Rowell.
Dielmann.	Runge.
Donnell.	Sanford.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunlap.	Smith of Nueces.
Enderby.	Smyth.
Farrar.	Stautzenberger.
Faulk.	Stevens.
Finlay.	Storey.
Florence.	Strong.
Frnka.	Thompson.
Graves.	Wallace.
Gray.	Webb.
Harper.	Westbrook.
Hollowell.	Wester.
Hoskins.	Williamson.
Jacks.	Wilson.
Jasper.	Young.
Johnson.	

Nays—49.

Alexander	Jordan.
of Bastrop.	Lane of Hamilton.
Atkinson.	Lipscomb.
Bartlett.	Mankin.
Bedford.	McBride.
Bobbitt.	McDougald.
Bonham.	McFarlane.
Conway.	McGill.
Cummings.	McKean.
Dinkle.	McNatt.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Nicholson.
Durham.	Parish.
Fields.	Perdue.
Foster.	Poage.
Hall.	Pool.
Harman.	Pope.
High.	Purl.

Rawlins.	Stout.
Raymer.	Taylor.
Rowland.	Tomme.
Sheats.	Veatch.
Simmons.	Walker.
Sinks.	Wells.
Smith of Travis.	Woodruff.
Sparks.	

Present—Not Voting.

Hagaman.	Renfro.
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Absent.

Alexander of Limestone.	Lane of Harrison.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	Merritt.
Blount.	Montgomery.
Carter.	Simpson.
Covey.	Stell.
Dunn of Falls.	Stevenson.
Hull.	Teer.
	Wade.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

SENATE BILL NO. 192 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 192, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for permanent first grade certificates; providing for the employment of teachers who have been engaged ten years in teaching a special subject, without requiring that they have certificates; providing for the issuance of emergency certificates; providing for the issuance of permits to teach trades; making this act cumulative of other laws, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

(Mr. Chitwood in the chair.)

Mr. Brown offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 192 by adding to Section 2 the following: "Provided that any person who has been engaged in the teaching of music in the public schools of Texas for ten years shall be exempt from the present law and be given a life certificate in that subject."

Mr. Purl offered the following amendment to the amendment:

Amend amendment by adding "teachers of writing and drawing" after "teachers of music."

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Question recurring on the amendment as amended, it was adopted.

Mr. Kinnear offered the following (committee) amendment to the bill:

Strike out the word "six" in line 6, Section 1, and insert the word "ten." Strike out the word "six" in line 4, Section 1, and insert the word "ten." Strike out the word "four" in line 2, Section 2, and insert the word "six." Amend caption accordingly.

Mr. Kinnear offered the following amendment to the amendment:

Amend (committee) amendment to Senate bill No. 192, page 3, by striking out the figure "6" after the word "line" in line 13, and inserting the figures "25" in lieu thereof.

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Purl, the (committee) amendment as amended was tabled.

Mr. Dunn of Hopkins offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 192 by striking out of lines 35 and 36, Section 2, the words "in the same school system," and by striking out the same words in line 38, same section.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Frnka offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 192 by striking out in lines 28 and 29, page 1, the following: "subsequent to September 1, 1910."

(Speaker in the chair.)

Mr. Rice moved to table the amendment, and the motion to table was lost.

Question next recurring on the amendment, it was lost.

Mr. Frnka offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 192 by striking out line 30, commencing with the word "provided" and all of line 31.

Mr. Barker moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—67.

Amsler.	Coody.
Avis.	Covey.
Baker of Orange.	Cox of Lamar.
Baker of Panola.	Cummings.
Barron.	Dale.
Bateman.	Daniels.
Bean.	Davis of Wood.
Bedford.	Downs.
Boggs.	Dunn of Falls.
Bonham.	Enderby.
Bryant.	Farrar.
Cade.	Fields.

Finlay.	Raymer.
Frnka.	Renfro.
Gray.	Robinson.
Hagaman.	Rogers.
Harman.	Runge.
Hollowell.	Shearer.
Hoskins.	Sheats.
Johnson.	Simmons.
Jones.	Smith of Nueces.
Justice.	Smyth.
Lane of Harrison.	Stautzenberger.
Lipscomb.	Stell.
Masterson.	Stevens.
Loftin.	Stevenson.
Maxwell.	Storey.
McBride.	Strong.
McFarlane.	Thompson.
McNatt.	Walker.
Pavlica.	Webb.
Perdue.	Wells.
Pool.	Westbrook.
Powell.	Wilson.

Nays—45.

Alexander	Low.
of Bastrop.	McDonald.
Alexander	McGill.
of Limestone.	McKean.
Atkinson.	Moore.
Barker.	Morris.
Bartlett.	Parish.
Bird.	Pearce.
Bobbitt.	Petsch.
Chitwood.	Poage.
Coffey.	Pope.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Davis of Dallas.	Rice.
DeBerry.	Rowell.
Dinkle.	Rowland.
Donnell.	Stout.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Taylor.
Florence.	Tomme.
Foster.	Veatch.
Graves.	Wade.
Jacks.	Wester.
Jordan.	Woodruff.
Kinnear.	Young.
Lane of Hamilton.	

Absent.

Acker.	Kemble.
Albritton.	Kenyon.
Blount.	King.
Brown.	Kittrell.
Carter.	Laird.
Cox of Navarro.	Mankin.
Dielmann.	McDougald.
Dunlap.	Merritt.
Durham.	Montgomery.
Faulk.	Nicholson.
Hall.	Purl.
Harper.	Sanford.
High.	Simpson.
Hull.	Sinks.
Jasper.	Smith of Travis.
Kayton.	Sparks.

Teer.	Williamson.
Wallace.	

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Senate bill No. 192 was then passed to third reading.

(Mr. Chitwood in the chair.)

SPECIAL ORDER SET.

Mr. Satterwhite moved that the House rule, Section 4, Rule 23, relating to special orders, be suspended for the purpose of setting Senate bill No. 252 as a special order for 2 o'clock p. m. next Tuesday.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the rule was suspended by the following vote:

Yeas—121.

Acker.	Florence.
Albritton.	Foster.
Alexander	Frnka.
of Limestone.	Graves.
Amsler.	Gray.
Avis.	Hagaman.
Baker of Orange.	Hall.
Baker of Panola.	Harman.
Barker.	Harper.
Barron.	High.
Bartlett.	Hollowell.
Bateman.	Hoskins.
Bean.	Jacks.
Bedford.	Jasper.
Bird.	Johnson.
Blount.	Jones.
Bobbitt.	Jordan.
Boggs.	Justice.
Bonham.	Kayton.
Brown.	Kemble.
Bryant.	Kenyon.
Cade.	King.
Coffey.	Kinnear.
Conway.	Kittrell.
Coody.	Laird.
Covey.	Lane of Hamilton.
Cox of Lamar.	Lane of Harrison.
Cummings.	Lipscomb.
Dale.	Loftin.
Daniels.	Low.
Davis of Dallas.	Mankin.
Davis of Wood.	Masterson.
DeBerry.	McDonald.
Dielmann.	McKean.
Dinkle.	Montgomery.
Downs.	Moore.
Dunlap.	Nicholson.
Dunn of Falls.	Parish.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pavlica.
Durham.	Pearce.
Enderby.	Perdue.
Farrar.	Petsch.
Faulk.	Poage.
Fields.	Pope.
Finlay.	Powell.

Purl.	Stautzenberger.
Raymer.	Stevens.
Rice.	Stevenson.
Robinson.	Storey.
Rogers.	Strong.
Rowell.	Taylor.
Rowland.	Teer.
Runge.	Thompson.
Sanford.	Veatch.
Shearer.	Walker.
Sheats.	Wallace.
Simmons.	Webb.
Sinks.	Westbrook.
Smith of Nueces.	Wester.
Smith of Travis.	Williamson.
Smyth.	Wilson.
Sparks.	Young.

Nays—4.

Alexander	Pool.
of Bastrop.	Woodruff.
McFarlane.	

Present—Not Voting.

McGill.	Tomme.
Rawlins.	Wade.
Stell.	Wells.
Stout.	

Absent.

Atkinson.	McBride.
Carter.	McDougald.
Chitwood.	McNatt.
Cox of Navarro.	Merritt.
Donnell.	Morris.
Hull.	Renfro.
Maxwell.	Simpson.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

Mr. Satterwhite then moved that Senate bill No. 252 be set as a special order for 2 o'clock p. m. Tuesday.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—118.

Acker.	Bonham.
Albritton.	Brown.
Alexander	Bryant.
of Limestone.	Cade.
Amsler.	Chitwood.
Avis.	Coffey.
Baker of Orange.	Conway.
Baker of Panola.	Coody.
Barker.	Covey.
Barron.	Cox of Lamar.
Bartlett.	Cummings.
Bateman.	Dale.
Bean.	Daniels.
Bedford.	Davis of Dallas.
Bird.	Davis of Wood.
Blount.	DeBerry.
Bobbitt.	Dielmann.
Boggs.	Dinkle.

Downs.	Nicholson.
Dunlap.	Parish.
Dunn of Falls.	Pavlica.
Durham.	Pearce.
Enderby.	Perdue.
Farrar.	Petsch.
Faulk.	Poage.
Fields.	Pope.
Finlay.	Powell.
Florence.	Purl.
Frnka.	Rawlins.
Graves.	Raymer.
Gray.	Rice.
Hagaman.	Robinson.
Harman.	Rogers.
Harper.	Rowell.
High.	Rowland.
Hollowell.	Runge.
Hoskins.	Sanford.
Jacks.	Shearer.
Jasper.	Sheats.
Johnson.	Simmons.
Jones.	Sinks.
Justice.	Smith of Nueces.
Kayton.	Smith of Travis.
Kemble.	Smyth.
Kenyon.	Sparks.
King.	Stautzenberger.
Kinnear.	Stevens.
Kittrell.	Storey.
Laird.	Strong.
Lane of Hamilton.	Taylor.
Lane of Harrison.	Teer.
Lipscomb.	Thompson.
Loftin.	Veatch.
Low.	Walker.
Mankin.	Wallace.
Masterson.	Webb.
Maxwell.	Westbrook.
McBride.	Wester.
McDonald.	Williamson.
McKean.	Wilson.
Montgomery.	Young.
Moore.	

Nays—6.

Alexander	McFarlane.
of Bastrop.	Pool.
Foster.	Woodruff.
Jordan.	

Present—Not Voting.

McGill.	Tomme.
Stell.	Wade.
Stout.	Wells.

Absent.

Atkinson.	McDougald.
Carter.	McNatt.
Cox of Navarro.	Merritt.
Donnell.	Morris.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Renfro.
Hall.	Simpson.
Hull.	Stevenson.

Absent—Excused.

Irwin.

ADJOURNMENT.

On motion of Mr. Satterwhite, the House, at 4:53 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 4:54 o'clock p. m. Friday.

APPENDIX.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The following committees have today filed favorable reports on bills as follows:

- Appropriations—House bill No. 586.
- Agriculture—H. C. R. No. 30.
- Banks and Banking—House bill No. 616.
- Constitutional Amendments — House joint resolution No. 25.
- Education—House bills Nos. 598, 537.
- Public Lands and Buildings—House bill No. 569.
- Judiciary—House bills Nos. 243, 575, 581, 597, 599; Senate bills Nos. 234, 161.
- Criminal Jurisprudence — House bill No. 609.
- Conservation and Reclamation — Senate bill No. 417.
- Highways and Motor Traffic — House bills Nos. 601, 608, 614; Senate bills Nos. 395, 418, 431.
- State Affairs—House bills Nos. 562, 592; Senate bill No. 35.
- Judicial Districts—House bills Nos. 358, 600, 628, 602; Senate bill No. 320.
- Municipal and Private Corporations—House bills Nos. 582, 580.
- Insurance—Senate bill No. 289.
- School Districts — House bills Nos. 528, 564, 604, 590, 558, 595, 589, 625, 627, 623, 624, 622, 620, 611, 619, 626, 621; Senate bills Nos. 250, 241.

The following committees have today filed unfavorable reports on bills as follows:

- Education—House bill No. 497; Senate bill No. 206.
- Judiciary—Senate bill No. 184.
- Constitutional Amendments — House joint resolution No. 22.
- Public Lands and Buildings—House bill No. 145.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 493, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Tell Independent School District in Childress, Hall and Cottle counties, Texas, including therein the present Common County Line School District No. 9 of Hall, Childress and Cottle counties and the Tell Independent District of Hall and Childress counties; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said Tell Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all current contracts of the said Common County Line School District No. 9 and the present Tell Independent District as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Tell Independent School District as created by this act; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding bonded indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated as herein set out, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 470, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Reagan County Independent School District in Reagan county, Texas; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts organized under the general laws of Texas; providing for a board of trustees for the said district to serve until the time for the next election of school trustees in independent school districts as provided by general laws; authorizing the said Reagan County Independent School District to hold an election to determine whether or not the said district shall assume and make provision for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of the territory incorporated herein; validating and continuing in force current contracts and tax levies of districts included in the Reagan County Independent District for the present scholastic year, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 501, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish a more efficient system of public roads for Orange county, and to empower the commissioners court thereof to provide rules and regulations therefor; to provide for the condemnation of private property for road purposes; and to provide for the appointment of a county engineer; to allow the issuance of bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency."

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 534, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Harral County Line School District in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, and established and defined by order of the county boards of trustees of Lubbock and Hale counties, Texas, and recorded in Vol. 1, of the record of school districts in the office of the county clerk of Lubbock county, at page 1 et seq., except the following lands, which are by Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, Fourth Called Session, House bill No. 175, Chapter 27, Section 1, transferred to Hardy Common School District No. 26, viz.: Surveys 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 2001 acres out of Surveys 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 200 acres out of Survey 132, and in Block P, defining the boundaries; providing for a board of trustees and defining their powers and authority; authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing that said board of trustees shall exercise the power and authority of the board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding bonds, obligations and indebtedness of said Harral County

Line Common School District No. 30 shall be assumed by and shall become binding obligations upon Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such bonds, obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in said Harral County Line Common School District No. 30; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory shall be divested out of Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 and vested in Harral County Line Independent School District as hereby created; providing for the election and term of office of trustees of said Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the filling of vacancies on said board of trustees; providing for seal for said district; providing that said board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any provisions or section herein shall not invalidate the remaining sections and provisions, and declaring an emergency."

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 555, A bill to be entitled "An Act to increase and fix the salary of the superintendent of public instruction of Harris county, Texas; providing for office and traveling expenses, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 556, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Orange Independent School District in the county of Orange, State of Texas,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 316, A bill to be entitled
"An Act creating the Cyclone Common
School District No. 9 in Bell county,
Texas; fixing its boundaries by metes
and bounds; dissolving and abolishing
the old Common School District No. 9
in said county and State, and carving
out of a part of the same, retaining
its old name, that is the Cyclone Com-
mon School District No. 9, out of the
eastern part of said old district, and
by this special act creating the new,
providing for the payment of outstand-
ing bonds or other evidences of indebt-
edness, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 464, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to fix the compensation of coun-
ty commissioners in counties of judicial
districts comprised of two counties on
January 1, 1925, having a total popu-
lation within said districts of not less
than thirty-five thousand nor more than
forty-one thousand inhabitants, accord-
ing to the last United States census,
and which have an aggregate area of
not less than 1890 square miles, accord-
ing to the records of the General Land
Office of Texas, and declaring an emer-
gency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 427, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to create Neal Common School
District in Tyler county, Texas, includ-
ing therein the territory of the Com-
mon School District No. 36 of the said
county; providing a board of trustees
therefor; vesting said school district

board of trustees with all the rights,
powers, privileges and duties conferred
upon common school districts incor-
porated under the general laws of
Texas; and providing for a board of
trustees to serve until the time for the
next election of school trustees as pro-
vided by general laws; providing for the
validation of all contracts for the main-
tenance of the schools of the territory
herein incorporated for the current
scholastic year; providing for an elec-
tion to determine as to the outstanding
bonded indebtedness of the territory
herein incorporated, as herein set out;
repealing all laws and parts of laws
in conflict herewith, and declaring an
emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 433, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to increase the jurisdiction of
the county court of Tarrant county for
civil cases and conferring upon said
court criminal jurisdiction in certain
cases; to provide for the filing of civil
and criminal cases in both the county
court of Tarrant county for civil cases
and the County Court at Law of Tarrant
county, and the transfer of cases into
and between said courts; to fix the sal-
aries of the judges of the county court
of Tarrant county for civil cases and the
County Court at Law of Tarrant coun-
ty; to change the designation of said last
named courts; providing a saving clause,
and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 369, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to change and prescribe the
time for holding district court of the
Thirty-first Judicial District of the
State; and to conform all writs and
process from such court to such changes
and to make all writs and process is-
sued or served before this act takes ef-
fect, including recognizances and bonds,

returnable to the terms of court in the several counties in said district, as herein fixed; and to validate the summoning of grand and petit jurors and juries, and providing for the continuation of court in session in said district when this act takes effect, to the end of its term; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 503. A bill to be entitled "An Act to exempt the county of Howard from the provisions and operations of Articles 7256 to 7304, inclusive, of Chapter 7, Title 124, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, relating to the inspection of hides and animals; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 536, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Woodsboro Inde-

pendent School District in Refugio county, Texas; validating all levies of taxes and contracts made in behalf of the existing Woodsboro Independent School District; continuing in office the board of trustees of said independent district; providing for the maximum rate of taxation for the issuance of bonds and the maintenance of the public free schools; repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 5, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 474, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7235, Chapter 6, Title 124, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1911, as amended by Chapter 72, General Laws of the Thirty-third Legislature, and Chapters 26 and 99, General Laws of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, and Chapter 131, General Laws of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, and Chapter 10 of the General Laws of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, with reference to the mode of preventing horses and certain other animals from running at large in the counties named, so as to include Hudspeth county, Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.
ROWELL, Chairman.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE FALL OF THE ALAMO

Mr. Kittrell offered the following resolution:

Whereas, This March 6th is the eighty-ninth anniversary of the Fall of the Alamo when a little band of Texans forever consecrated that beleaguered fortress with their heroic blood, lifted the standard of human valor to a height never before or never since reached, and "taught mankind the lesson of earth's loftiest martyrdom"; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives does hereby record on a page of its Journal for today, specially set apart for that purpose, our admiration of the matchless heroism of these unselfish patriots who loved liberty better than they loved life, and

"Who taught men how to live
And oh! too high a price
For knowledge,
Taught men how to die."

KITTRELL,	MASTERSON,
POAGE,	TEER,
LANE of Hamilton,	CADE,
CUMMINGS,	BROWN,
BAKER of Panola,	WEBB,
HARMAN,	BRYANT,
MANKIN,	STELL,
FARRAR,	PETSCH,
BARRON,	DURHAM,
HOSKINS,	McFARLANE,
GRAVES,	SINKS,
CHITWOOD,	WALLACE,
COVEY,	STEVENSON,
STAUTZENBERGER,	FRNKA.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Kittrell, the resolution was adopted by a rising vote.